DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship is as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled LOBED DRIVE FOR HI-LITE FASTENER, the specification of which (check one)

___ is attached hereto
X was filed on June 13, 2002
As United States Application Number 10/171,475
and was amended on ____ (if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) referred to above.

This application in part discloses and claims subject matter disclosed in our earlier filed patent application, Serial No. 10/052,238, filed January 16, 2002.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119 (a) - (d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or §365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge

are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

I hereby appoint the following attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment is made by DENNIS SCHULTZ of San Juan Capistrano, California; Assignor, to HI-SHEAR CORPORATION, a California corporation, Assignee, having a place of business at 2600 Skypark Drive, Torrance, California 90509.

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented a new and useful **LOBED DRIVE FOR HI-LITE FASTENER**, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on June 13, 2002 and has been given Serial No. 10/171,475; said application being a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 10/052,238, filed on January 16, 2002.

WHEREAS, Assignor believes himself to be the original inventor of the invention disclosed and claimed in said continuation-in-part application Serial No. 10/171,475 for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, Assignee desires to acquire by formal, recordable assignment the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said continuation-in-part application Serial No. 10/171,475, and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns and transfers to Assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said continuation-in-part application Serial No. 10/171,475, and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said

invention in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of the Assignee and to claim for any such foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise.

Further, Assignor agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to Assignor, his legal representative(s) and assigns will do all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing or enforcing Letters Patent in the United States and throughout the world for said invention, and for perfecting, recording or maintaining the title of Assignee, its successors and assigns, to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world.

Assignor represents and warrants that he has not granted and will not grant to others any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.

Assignor authorizes and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and of all foreign countries to issue any Letters Patent granted for said invention, whether on said continuation-in-part application Serial No. 10/171,475 or on any subsequently filed divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part or reissue application, to Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire interest in said invention.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this Assignment on the date written hereinbelow.

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